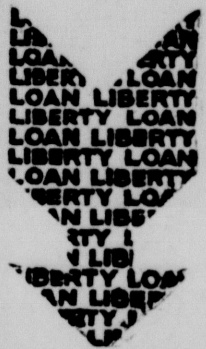


Help Our Boys Across The Pond; Loosen Up And Buy a Bond



SALES OF BONDS LAG IN COUNTRY SAYS CHAIRMAN

IF LEE COUNTY FAULTS TO FILL QUOTA FARMERS ARE CAUSE.

TOWNS AND CITIES DOING WELL

Dixon and Other Townships With Towns and Villages Buy Many Bonds.

The Liberty Loan Campaign is on its final week, and all subscriptions must be in by Saturday, October 27. Lee County is still a long way from its goal and if the county's quota of \$1,277,000 in bond sales is to be filled, Lee County people will have to act, and act promptly.

County Chairman A. P. Armington of Dixon stated today that in the cities, towns and villages of the county, the bond sales are up to expectations, but that in the strictly rural communities there is an apathy and lagging in the matter of buying Liberty Bonds which threatens to put Lee County in the slacker class.

Town People Buy. Chairman Ed Valle of the Dixon Township Liberty Bond Committee stated to a Telegraph reporter today that the Liberty Bond sales in Dixon and Dixon township are progressing very satisfactorily, and that his committee is very much pleased with the manner in which the loyalty and patriotism of the people of this community have impelled them to come to the assistance of the government at this time with their money.

Dixon's quota will be filled, it is the belief of Mr. Valle, if present figures keep up and conditions do not change. Dixon is to be congratulated upon the patriotism it has shown.

Other Towns Fine. Many other towns and villages in the county have done splendidly, states County Chairman Armington. Pawpaw, which is in Wyoming township, and Steward, in Alto township, have both notified the county chairman that they have completely filled their quota. Ambloy, Franklin Grove, Ashton and West Brooklyn, as well as some other communities, are also working very hard and doing nicely. Sublette has sent to the chairman for more bond buttons, which is a good sign.

Farmers Buy Slowly. But the great trouble is in the townships which are entirely rural, or greatly so, and reports from these districts show that the farmers are very slow in buying the bonds and that unless they do their share the county will be behind in its quota.

There are men in every township in the county who have bought bonds and who are working faithfully and hard to get their neighbors to do the same.

Every bank in the county is also taking subscriptions. The time to act is now if you are going to do your share toward winning this war, and if you are a true American and can possibly afford to do it you will surely want to be able to say that you have done some small thing at least to help the government equip and care for the boys who have gone and are going soon to fight and perhaps die for you and yours.

IS MUCH BETTER.

Miss Ezna Wilbur, who was operated upon for appendicitis at the Dixon Hospital on October 14, has been removed to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schick, 911 Long avenue, and is doing nicely.

First Palmyra Short Course Was Great Success; Will Hold Another

Palmyra Township's first Short Course in Agriculture and Household Science, which closed Saturday, was a success in every way. The attendance was better than expected considering the very disagreeable weather which prevailed during the whole period. The combined attendance at the various sessions was about 350. All were well pleased with the lectures and demonstrations by speakers from the University of Illinois, as by the music and readings by local people. At the closing session, held at Cedar Grove church Saturday, p. m., it was voted unanimously to hold another Palmyra Short Course in 1918.

Several changes were made in the order of the program as originally arranged. Mr. F. C. Bauer, of the Dept. of Agronomy College of Agriculture, University of Illinois addressed the men on "Soil Fertility Problems," "The Story of King Corn and Queen Clover" and "Permanent Soil Improvement." Mr. Bauer not only thoroughly understands the subject of the soil fertility, but is able to explain its various principles so plainly that his hearers were made to see clearly the need of soil improvement and the best methods of accomplishing it. He showed that the "Illinois System of Permanent Soil Fertility" as worked out and practiced by the Illinois Experiment Station, will not only maintain but will actually increase the fertility of the soil.

Mr. C. S. Rhode, of the Dairy Dept. University of Illinois, gave three splendid lectures on the subjects of "Dairy Management" and "Dairy Feeding." Mr. Rhode emphasized the importance of the dairy cow in maintaining soil fertility and as a source of human food. He explained the methods which have proved most successful in caring for the dairy herd, and outlined proper

SAVE!

(By O. H. Martin.) The purchase of a Liberty Bond is likened to the taking out of an insurance policy, the starting of a savings account, or the building of a home, only better. You are laying up for yourself and doing a deed that will more than compensate you for the small sacrifice necessary for the purchase of a bond, under the several plans allowed by the banks.

A nation can thrive and survive only through the thrift of its people. The war cannot be won if the industries upon which the government relies for war material are cramped or bankrupt. A large part of the vast sum needed to bring victory and the peace we all long for must come through real sacrifice on the part of each individual man and woman.

Not only must we save to win the war, but we must save to survive. You are urged to begin now to adjust your affairs so as to enable you to subscribe to the maximum of your ability to the purchase of Liberty Bonds and help win the war.

We urge this because:

1. It will help you.
2. It will help your family.
3. It will help your country.
4. It will help civilization.

CUT LYCEUM COURSE TO FOUR BIG EVENTS

CHANGES MADE IN ARRANGEMENTS BY COMMITTEE IN CHARGE.

Because the sale of tickets for the joint church and Y. M. C. A. Lyceum course this year has not been as large as in former seasons, the committee in charge has decided to hold the entertainments at the Methodist church, rather than the opera house, where the expenses would be much greater, and to cut the course to the four strongest numbers, instead of six. The numbers to be given are: Elsie Baker Company, Croatian Tambura Orchestra, Rollo McBride, public defender of Pittsburgh, Gay Zenola MacLaren.

NEED A LARIAT IN DEMENTTOWN

A committee of the shock contingent of the Liberty Loan organization spent some time in Dementtown yesterday afternoon, and incidentally several of them participated in a foot race. They report that henceforth anyone who seeks to solicit a certain one of the most prominent merchants on the avenue should secure the services of a handy cowboy, mounted, and a fast pony and skilful with the lariat. Also they say it will be necessary for the cowboy to rope his quarry before he gets among the box cars.

JUDGE BAUME IS ASKED TO HELP

Judge James S. Baume of the local Circuit Court has been asked by Judge Ramsay of the Whiteside County Circuit Court to hear the mandamus case brought by the City of Sterling against the Board of Supervisors of Whiteside County to compel them to vote funds for one-half of the cost of a new bridge over Rock River at First avenue, Sterling. The bridge has been condemned and a new structure has been pronounced necessary by state engineers.

ELKS' CLUB CLOSES.

The Elks' Club will close at 5 p. m. Wednesday on account of the Liberty Loan parade.

LIBERTY SALES ARE STILL SLOW, REPORT

TREASURY OFFICIALS HOPE, HOWEVER, FOR TOTAL TOMORROW.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Washington, Oct. 23.—The Liberty Loan was still lagging today on the face of scattering unofficial estimates to the treasury department. Officers of the treasury were hoping that the \$3,000,000,000 minimum would be reached by tomorrow night, when the anticipated volume of Liberty Bond sales is reported.

NO PRAYER MEETINGS WEDNESDAY—MINISTERS MARCH.

The regular weekly prayer meetings of the city churches will be held on Thursday evening of this week at 7:30. The ministers will march in the parade on Wednesday evening. Let everyone come to prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Ernest C. Lumsden, President Ministers' Association.

IS IMPROVING.

Mrs. Mark Williams, who submitted to a recent operation, is reported to be improving very satisfactorily.

SUBSCRIBERS TO LIBERTY BONDS IN DIXON TOWN

LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEE PUBLISHES NAMES OF TOWNSHIP SUBSCRIBERS.

MORE NAMES TO APPEAR DAILY

List Is Very Long and Will Be Added to as Each Day Progresses.

The Dixon Township Liberty Bond Committee, in publishing the list of subscribers to the bonds in this township, has decided to publish the names but not the amounts subscribed. The list is very long and is being added to hourly, and therefore the complete list cannot be published today. More names will be published each day until the list is completed.

Following are the names of some

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MEET TO DISCUSS FIGHTERS' WELFARE

PLANS FOR RAISING NEARLY FOUR MILLIONS FOR RECREATION.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Washington, Oct. 23.—Delegates to the national conference of the war camp community recreation service, including delegates from National and State Defense Councils, Chambers of Commerce, Women's Clubs, Rotary Clubs and other such associations from all over the country met here today to discuss the problem of taking care of American soldiers and sailors in the cities and towns outside their training camps.

Plans were discussed for raising \$3,750,000, or \$3 for each soldier and sailor, to be used for recreation in camps.

AND THEN IT SNOWED.

The weather man's prognostication of snow last night and today was not a false alarm. Late in the afternoon the crystal began to fall and it kept it up all night and nearly all today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Holt drove to Rockford Monday, visiting the Dixon boys at the cantonment.

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IRON WORKER IN BAD FALL

Frank Pritchett, an iron worker employed in the construction work at the U. S. power house in West Dixon, was near death yesterday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock, when he fell thirty-seven feet into the basement of the new building on to some iron pipes. The Morris and Preston ambulance was called and the injured man was rushed to the Dixon Hospital, where he was given the attention of a surgeon at once. He is badly bruised and cut about the head, face, right shoulder and right hip and his right wrist is injured. Unless internal injuries develop he will recover.

SUNDAY TRAINS TO CAMP GRANT

The Burlington railroad Sunday inaugurated Sunday passenger service from Chicago to Rockford, and Dixonites will now have an opportunity of going to Camp Grant by train. The schedule from Rochelle is as follows: Train No. 31, leave Rochelle 10:02 a. m., Camp Grant 10:45 a. m., arrive Rockford 11:00 a. m. Train No. 32, leave Rockford 5:15 p. m., Camp Grant 5:30 p. m., arrive Rochelle 6:06 p. m. This gives people an opportunity of visiting relatives and friends at Camp Grant over Sunday.

CLEAN-UP SQUAD FOR BOND SALES

A special final round-up committee to clean up all prospects for Liberty Bonds, to induce those who have taken bonds not up to their ability to take more, and in fact to superintend bringing Dixon's subscriptions to the quota, \$315,900, has been named as follows: W. B. Brinton, Henry S. Dixon, E. J. Countryman, W. C. Durkes, A. P. Armington.

BANK OFFICERS GET NEW CHANCE

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Springfield, Oct. 23.—George D. Hiltbrand of Peoria and John E. Hartenbower of Chicago, convicted of receiving deposits for the Tonica Exchange Bank at Tonica, Ill., La Salle County, and sentenced to three years in prison, were released on bail of \$15,000 each by the supreme court today in order to allow the court to open the case for rehearing.

DIXON BANDS TO PLAY WEDNESDAY

The two Dixon bands—Chamber of Commerce and L. O. O. Moose organizations—will march in the Liberty parade tomorrow evening, each organization having donated its services. The Moose have offered to head the United Spanish War Veterans, who will meet at the city hall at 7 o'clock.

Line of March for Liberty Parade Was Announced By Committee

At a meeting of the heads of the will deliver a stirring address at the various parade committees at the opera house meeting. It is expected Elks' club at 7 o'clock this evening final arrangements for the big rally large for the opera house, in which parade tomorrow evening will be made. The assembling places of the various divisions will be decided upon and each division head will be notified where to have the people in that division congregate for the great parade which will arouse every citizen of Dixon and vicinity in the second Liberty Loan.

The line of march was decided upon this morning, as follows: Form on East Second street, west on North street to Madison avenue, north to First street, east to Galena avenue, and south to the opera house, where the big public mass meeting will be held.

Attorney Rathbone of Chicago, one of the most noted and most popular speakers in that city, will arrive in Dixon in the afternoon and

KAISER SHIPS SUNK BY RUSS IN GULF FIGHT

DELAYED REPORT SHOWS MANY WARSHIPS PUT OUT OF ACTION.

RUSSIANS DRIVE HUNS OFF COAST

French Push Germans Back—British Lose One Position to Teutons.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Petrograd, Monday. Delayed.—Two German dreadnoughts, one cruiser, twelve torpedo boats and one transport were put out of action by the Russians in the fighting around the islands in the Gulf of Riga last week, but their ultimate fate is not known, says an official statement issued tonight by the Russian admiralty.

It has been established that at least six German torpedo boats were sunk in the fighting. The Russians lost the battleship slava and a large torpedo boat.

German torpedo boats of the T-69 class were built in 1891, displaced 145 tons and had a complement of sixteen men. They are 154 feet in length.

BEAT GERMANS OFF. (Associated Press Leased Wire) Petrograd, Oct. 23.—The Germans have made an attempt at a second landing on the Estonian coast. The war office announces that they were driven away by the Russian land forces.

The attempt was made near Moisekull Manor, eight miles north of Wuerder, on the Estonian coast. No naval engagements occurred in connection with this maneuver. German warships were observed off Moon Island.

The Germans have evacuated more trenches on the northern end of the battle front. Trenches in the sector of Hilsenberg Manor were taken by the Russians after an engagement, announces the Russian war office.

FRENCH FORGE AHEAD. (Associated Press Leased Wire) Paris, Oct. 23.—An attack was made by the French early this morning on the Aisne front, northeast of Soissons. The war office reports that considerable progress was made along the whole battle front and that numerous prisoners were taken.

COUNTER ATTACK WINS. (Associated Press Leased Wire) London, Oct. 23.—The Germans last night attacked one of the British positions in Flanders and forced back the troops holding it, the war office announces. Elsewhere the British gains of yesterday were held.

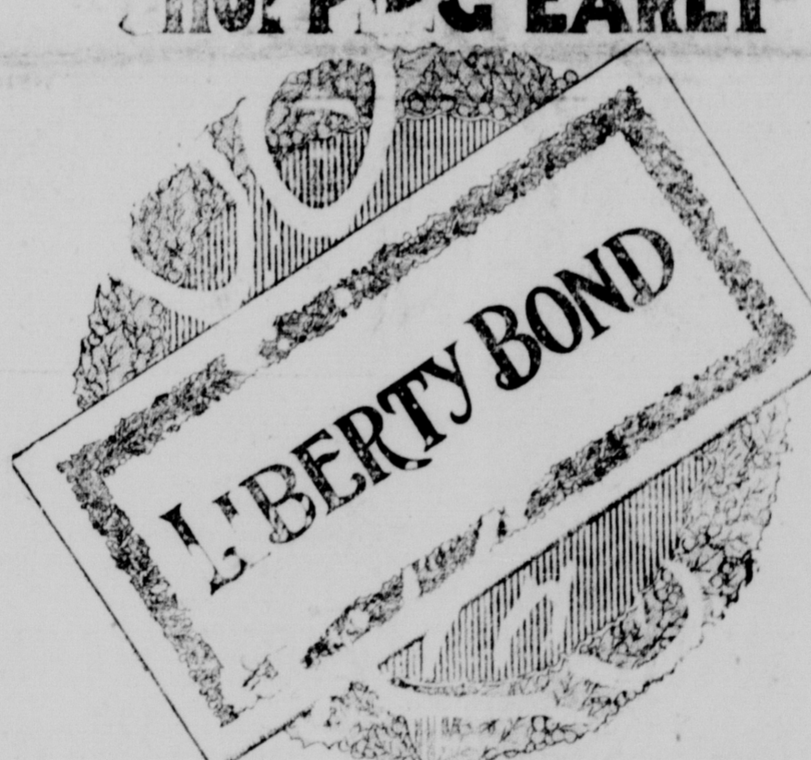
COMFORT FUND IS NOW \$1,700

The latest figures on the Camp Grant Comfort Fund for the use of the boys of Company M, 342nd Infantry, from Lee County, is now \$1,700.40, reports A. P. Armington, treasurer of the Comfort Fund Committee. The report to date is:

Previously acknowledged	\$1,653.90
Senior Class No. Dixon	5.00
High School	5.00
Cash	3.50
May Township, by James Buckley	38.00
Grand total	\$1,700.40

GOOD SHOWING OF BROWN SHOE. The Brown Shoe Company reported that its employees had taken out, up to 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, \$11,150 worth of Liberty Bonds.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY



A LIBERTY BOND IS THE BEST CHRISTMAS GIFT YOU CAN MAKE

SOLD BONDS AT SKATING RINK

M. E. Rice's offer of a season admission pass to every purchaser of Liberty Bonds at his rink Monday evening proved even more successful than he had expected. In less than fifteen minutes the workers secured applications for about \$1,700 worth of the bonds, all in small denominations, and all taken by young working people who probably would not have been reached any other way.

CROMBIE STARTS BATTERY STATION

Charles L. Crombie of this city has purchased of George Netiz his Willard Service Station and all electrical equipment, batteries, etc., pertaining thereto. He has leased the east half of the first floor of the Shaw building on East First street and is today moving his equipment into the room. Mr. Crombie will have the assistance of the efficient crew of battery and electrical men that operated the service station under Mr. Netiz, including the battery foreman, Arthur Klein. Mr. Crombie himself has been in the employ of the Netiz Garage for a number of years and is a thoroughly trained automobile man. His new station will do all sorts of electrical work on automobiles.

The World Do Move.

An old fashioned Lawrence man who has always worn detached cuffs was congratulated the other day by a young sport who thought the old man had started a new fashion.—Kansas City Star.

THE WEATHER

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) Partly cloudy tonight, somewhat colder in north portion; Wednesday generally fair and warmer.

COAL SUPPLY NEAR NORMAL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) Springfield, Oct. 23.—Normal production of coal in Illinois was being approached rapidly today, following the strike of 70,000 coal miners in Illinois last week, it was announced.

W. W. CHANDLER DIED SUDDENLY

Wilbur W. Chandler of Chicago died suddenly at his home at 6405 Ellis Avenue, Sunday morning, and his body will be brought to Dixon Thursday, and after brief services at the Morris and Preston Chapel, interment will take place in Palmyra Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Lumsden will have charge of the services.

Mr. Chandler is survived by a wife and two daughters, aged 6 and 3. The Dixon friends of deceased and his family will be shocked to learn of his sudden death.

Much Troubled.

Mrs. A.—"Are you troubled much in your neighborhood with borrowing?" Mrs. B.—"Yes, a good deal. My neighbors never seem to have anything I want."

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We are at war with a foreign foe. Our Government has conscripted several millions of the young men of this nation and will send them to the front. It takes money to equip, clothe and feed them.

The Government asks you and me to loan them the money. They promise to pay us four per cent. The bond they give us is not subject to taxation.

The Congress who has the power to conscript the young men of the country and send them to the front has the right to conscript the money to clothe, feed and arm them. Rather than do this, the Government offers to borrow the money from the people and pay them interest every six months.

A large amount has been assigned to Dixon Township. We must not fail.

W. B. BRINTON

SOCIETY

Wednesday

Kingdom Bend Aid, Mrs. Jules Hill.
Women of Mooseheart Legion, Moose Hall.
St. Margaret's Guild, Miss Mary Louise Fuller.

Thursday

U. C. T. Auxiliary, Mrs. W. A. Abell, 610 First street.
Laf-a-Lot Club, Miss Mabel Drew W. C. O. F. K. Hall.
Inter Nos Circle, Mrs. Lewis Drummond.
Inter Nos Circle, Mrs. L. W. Drummond.

Friday

M. E. Aid, Epworth League Rooms, Church.
Cly Atty Club, Mrs. L. W. Drummond.
Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. Hall.
Presbyterian Missionary, Church.
Add Thursday calendar.
Section No. 2 of M. E. Aid, Mrs. Worsley.
Unity Guild, Mrs. Demorest.

Former Music Student Visits

Miss Margaret Dreihelbeis, of Brookville, a former Dixon music student, was expected to come today to make a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hill, with whom she made her home while studying music. Miss Dreihelbeis will stay in Dixon for several days.

W. R. C. Meeting

The large attendance at Monday's meeting attested the interest in the Woman's Relief Corps. A good deal of business was transacted. Two ladies were initiated, one by re-initiation, and one by initiation. The state organization of the W. R. C. is contemplating the purchase of an ambulance and the local corps has planned a sale of food, aprons, and other articles for next Saturday at the Dixon Realty Co. office, to meet its share of the expense of the ambulance. Mrs. Rezk, of Galesburg, was a guest of the society at the Monday meeting.

At Dinner Sunday

Miss Frances Busby entertained at dinner Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Coss, the Misses Josephine Lievan and Geraldine Doherty, and the Messrs. Harley Swartz, Roy McCleary, and Otto Klingenstein.

Cly Atty Club

Members of the Cly Atty Club will be entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. W. Drummond.

To Minneapolis

Mrs. A. S. Hyde left Chicago Saturday for Minneapolis, Minn., where she will remain until after the holidays with her son.

Planned Halloween Social

The Baptist Young People's Union has planned a Halloween social for the evening of November 2d. The affair will be held at the church.

To Spend Winter

Mrs. Laschbrook, of Nebraska, is expected to come next week to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brink.

Sunday in Eldena

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hildebrand spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Howard, of Eldena.

Scramble Dinner

Mrs. E. Bennett's class of the Methodist School enjoyed a scramble supper at the church last evening.



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Honor Post Officers

Dorothy Chapter, 371, O. E. S., held a very enjoyable meeting at Masonic Hall, Friday evening. The degrees were conferred on two candidates and the usual routine business transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney M. Ayres, Past Patron and Past Matron of Dorothy Chapter, who leave soon for their new home at Heyworth, Ill., were present and Mrs. Emma Eichler, in the following lines presented each with a silver spoon.
—Matron and Patron, Sisters and Brothers.

We have with us this eve Two members who have served us well
And are about to take their leave.

Oh, not for any length of time We hope, in our selfish way.
For surely we'll miss their charming grace
And their smiling faces, gay.

It is nearly three years back, You all remember the date
That we placed them in the East, Sister Ayres, and her Worthy Mate.

And you will all agree with me That, in either work or play,
Always ready to do their share,
They will never say us nay.

Sister Ayres, and our Brother, too, Will you kindly step this way
Dorothy wishes to present a gift
And a few parting words to say.

We hope that you will miss us Just enough to want to come back
At least every time we're having a dance
And two good partners we lack.

Of course, you'll make new friends, There may be other laurals won,
But in your hearts we know you'll say
That Dorothy is second to none.

We expect to come to see you And we know we'll welcome be
If you've only a cake to offer
And with it a cup of tea.

We ask you to take these gifts As a token of our regard
We hope you'll use them often,
Your pleasure will be our reward.

The gift—Well, of course, it's a secret
But this I surely may tell
It's Sterling—just as our love for you
And with it we wish you well.

You have decided it's for the best To leave us for a time,
And we, your tried and trusted friends,
Did you "God Speed" in rhyme.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the committee in charge and a social hour enjoyed.

Amboy Couples Wed

R. W. Ruckman, cashier of the Amboy State Bank, and Miss Kathryn Lester were married in Sterling, Wednesday, Oct. 17. They were attended by Leo Lauer of Sublette and Miss Mary Clark of Amboy. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for a trip to Denver, Salt Lake City and other points of interest in the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruckman will receive the congratulations of many friends upon their return. They are public spirited young people, well known and liked and always ready with help and encouragement for any enterprise which is to Amboy's advantage.

Alderman Chas. A. Feinstenmaker and Mrs. Ella Poland were quietly married at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. A dinner was given in their honor at eight o'clock by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Spangler, at which a number of the friends, relatives and neighbors of the bride and groom were the guests.

Drove to Sterling

Misses Julia and Adele Ford and Olive and Ruth Kerz drove to Sterling Sunday and called on Miss Bertha Breiding.

Sunday Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lehman and daughters, the Misses Alice and Katherine, Mr. and Mrs. Walter

Brown, Miss Josephine Boyd, T. A. Mossholder, and daughter, Miss Anna, drove to Franklin Grove Sunday and attended church services there, later going to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lehman where they were dinner guests.

Sunday Visit

William Phalen, of Chicago, came Saturday evening to make his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Phalen, an over Sunday visit. It is reported that Mr. Phalen has joined the hospital corps.

At Dinner

Mrs. Emma Furry and nephew, Andrew Plakney, of Chicago, were entertained at dinner Sunday at the J. F. Myers home.

Dr. Sellers Addressed Class

Probably there could not have been made a talk that would help the sale of Liberty Bonds more than the address made last evening as an after-dinner speech at the banquet given by the members of Dr. Lehman's Bible Class. The talk was made by Dr. E. O. Sellers, of the Moody Bible Institute, who has recently spent five months in the Y. M. C. A. camps on the battlefields of Europe. It was not intended as an appeal for Liberty Bond purchases, but an exposition of the conditions in Europe, such as Dr. Sellers gave, made everyone of the hundred present feel that the purchase of a bond was slight aid, indeed, as compared with the great need for assistance.

After the excellent dinner served by the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the church, E. B. Raymond, as toast-master of the evening first called upon a number of the men prominent in church life for brief talks. Dr. Holland made an earnest plea for renewed spirit in the church life and C. A. Anderson, superintendent of the Polo schools and formerly of this city, given the topic of "Keeping Step" developed the thought that now, as never before, people are co-operating in assisting the government, in Red Cross Work, in the purchase of Liberty Bonds, and as the soldier "keeps step" through the suppression of self to make the symmetry of the military machine more perfect, so the times demand of each one the suppression of self. R. H. Bennett, of Ravenswood, father of Mrs. M. H. Vail, of this city, and long connected with much that has concerned the welfare of Dixon, spoke upon his thirty years' work as a Sunday School teacher in Chicago. Often, he said, young men came to him for recommendation and never said he, had complaints been made that a young man didn't smoke, was too clean in his habits, was too right eous, and he accented the need of a godly life as an essential factor for success. "The Call to Service" was the theme of Sec. of the Y. M. C. A., Der Kinderen's talk in which he spoke of the good that is being accomplished through the Y. M. C. A. in army camps and the need of \$35,000,000 within the next few months in order to continue the work already started and to start new camps where needed. He spoke of the fact that there was no hatred among the German prisoners in the allied prison camps as in no small measure due to the splendid work that the Y. M. C. A. workers is doing among them.

Dr. E. O. Sellers, a most informal and interesting speaker, established the link of friendliness and acquaintanceship between himself and his hearers by speaking of the fact that R. H. Bennett's grandson and his son are chums over on the battlefields of France, and forged the link more closely as he went on to tell of his work in the Y. M. C. A. huts on Salisbury flats and of his visits to the French front.

America, he said, has not the slightest comprehension of the stupendous war which is the sole occupation of Europe today. "Everything today in the countries across the water is made subservient to war. Sacrifice, as Europe knows it, is not yet in our dictionary. We do not know even the first letter.

Speaking of the voyage to Europe, he contrasted the pleasure voyages of days gone by with the trip he made some few months ago. Sailing in darkness, with no lights save the phosphorescent waves as the ship plowed its way through and with hourly dread of the submarine, it is

far from a pleasure trip to make the voyage now. He told the story of a man who sat trembling on the deck as the vessel escaped by not more than twenty feet a torpedo shot from a submarine. The captain said to him, "What's the matter, man?" and the man explained that this was the third time he had started for America within the month. Aboard a vessel, it was sunk by a submarine and all took to the life boats. Again he started forth and again the vessel he was upon was sunk by a torpedo. Again they took to the life boats, but this time the submarine came up in the midst of the life boats and ordered everyone to leave the boats and get on the deck of the submarine. Life-savers were thrown away and the submarine submerged, leaving the hapless men to sink. Two only were saved and the hero of the story was one.

The Rockford cantonment, said Dr. Sellers, would seem small to us if we could see the camp at Salisbury flats where two and one-half million men were trained or the camps at Rouen, France, where there are 300,000 men at a time. At present Europe has 48,000,000 men on its battlefields, five millions in hospitals, and six millions in prison camps. Of the warring men about 38,000,000 are allied soldiers and 10,000,000 Germans and their allies. If we furnish men for the war in proportion to the men England is furnishing we would have between fifteen and twenty million men in the field.

Telling of the work in the Y. M. C. A. huts, which by the way are made in England of corrugated iron, he told of the boys crowding the camp for the meeting to listen with rapt attention to the talks given by mainly men—these soldiers would hear no others—crowding the canteen counters, the tables where they eat, hanging about the stoves, and in every available nook. The meetings open with a "sing-song" and he spoke of the different class of songs which the soldiers are now singing, instancing "Carry Me Back to Blythe (England)" and "Keep the Home Fires Burning"—the latter song was composed in one of the huts on Salisbury flats. He told of one meeting at which Dr. Rice was late and the soldiers gave an entertainment of their own recitations, songs, and just as he entered—a clog dance—and Dr. Rice a strict Methodist!

To show the stupendousness of England's war operations he mentioned that one great action alone cost every inhabitant in England \$7.50, and that the engine of an aeroplane is fit for the scrap heap after 72 hours of continuous service, with nothing redeemable save the spark plug.

Dr. Sellers, in closing his talk spoke of the concentration of the sing of the nations which follows the concentration of men in great groups and accented the need of keeping the connecting trenches open between home and the soldier boy. "Keep the Home Fires Burning". An appeal for the mothering of the men who are away from home left few dry eyes around the candle-lighted berry-decked tables as he closed his address.

Dr. Lehman, teacher of the class, closed the after-dinner talks by telling of the aims of the class and its hopes for increased work and usefulness.

Sterling Society in Charge

The regular meeting of the Presbyterian Missionary society on Friday afternoon, October 26th, will be marked by an unusual feature, inasmuch as the program will be conducted by the members of the Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church of Sterling. All ladies of the church are cordially invited and all members are expected to attend. Light refreshments will be served at the meeting's close.

M. E. Aid Society

The Methodist Aid Society will hold a regular business meeting in the Epworth League rooms on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

St. Margaret's Guild

St. Margaret's Guild will meet with Miss Mary Louise Fuller tomorrow evening.

Unity Guild to Meet

The Unity Guild will meet Thursday with Mrs. Demorest. The origin

al directions were, "While the weather is good!" but now they are, "Rain, hail, snow, or shine, the meeting will be held anyhow". The meeting is an all day affair with a scramble luncheon at noon. The day will be spent in sewing for the Red Cross.

U. C. T. Auxiliary

The U. C. T. Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Abell, 610 First Street, on Thursday.

With Mrs. Worsley

Section No. 2 of the Methodist A. will meet with Mrs. Worsley on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Tillson Entertains

Mrs. A. H. Tillson will entertain Thursday afternoon for Miss Mary Todd.

Announce Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Quaco, of 508 Dixon Ave., announce the birth of a son on Friday, October 19th. The young man weighs nine-and-one-half pounds.

To Give Dinner

Miss Olive Bender will entertain with a six o'clock dinner this evening a group of her friends.

To Lebanon, Pa.

Mrs. Weyland, with her little daughter, Charletta Katherine, will leave the latter part of the week for her home at Lebanon, Pa., after a two month's visit here with her mother, Mrs. John Shenk.

Here for Banquet

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Anderson, of Polo, were here last evening to attend the banquet given by Dr. Lehman's Bible Class, of the Presbyterian Sunday School.

Star of Liberty Bond Sale

The Chicago Herald, of October 11th, contains a cut of Miss Margaret Fitch, a grand niece of Mr. Frank Messer, of this city, as a star in the war bond sale, having turned in \$125,600 of the \$168,750 of subscriptions received at the Woman's National Liberty Loan Committee headquarters, 120 West Adams St., to that date, and quotes Miss Fitch as follows:

"Of course I am pleased, but I hope to do much better," Miss Fitch said. "I first tried to sell just a few bonds to the people I knew, but after seeing how easy it was I started out after everybody. Two of the subscriptions were for \$50,000 each."

Miss Fitch is a daughter of William B. Fitch and a graduate of the Emma Willard School for Young Women at Troy, N. Y. She spends her vacations on a cattle ranch in Alberta, Canada, and says that rounding up Liberty Bond buyers is much easier than herding refractory cattle. She is well known in Dixon.

Saloon Sold for Five Dollars.

The saloon of Frank J. Lynch of Shenandoah, Pa., was sold at constable's sale for \$5, the highest bid offered for the good will and bar fixtures. The saloon was one of the prominent places in town and Lynch refused an offer of \$2,500 a year ago.

Sale bills printed by the B. F. Shaw Printing Co. on short notice.

HAIG'S MEN IN NEW DRIVE

Field Marshal Reports British and French Gain.

London, Oct. 23.—Highly successful operations in the neighborhood of Poelcapelle and, in conjunction with the French, south of Houtholst forest, are reported in the communication from Field Marshal Haig. The whole of the objectives, including many strong points, were captured.

London, Oct. 23.—Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in Belgium, in a dispatch received here, says:

"Up to midday we had advanced about a thousand yards, carrying our left wing well up to the fringe of the Houtholst forest. It also is rumored that we occupied the Poelcapelle brewery, Minner house and Heiles house."

"The keenest resistance was experienced on our left center, where the machine-gun fire was so hot that our progress was checked.
"The enemy counter-attacked in the forenoon astride the Ypres-Staden railway, but was repulsed with severe punishment."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Married man to work on my farm, near "The Kingdom."

Good pay and permanent job for the right man. John H. Bachman, Phone X-553. 251 t4

FOR SALE—Second-hand reed go-cart. Had cheap, as am leaving city. Telephone Y-820 or call at 303 Galena avenue. 251 t2

FOR RENT—House on Ottawa avenue. Inquire of Mrs. Emma Ackland, 410 Galena avenue. Telephone Y-609. 251 t3

LOST—Lever to delivery car on First street or Peoria avenue. Finder please notify Prescott & Schildberg and receive reward. 251 t2*

WANTED—Position as stenographer. Address K, this office. 251 t2

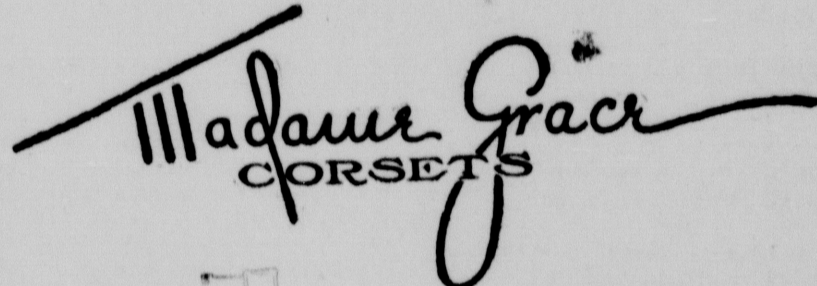
LOST—Sunday. An open face Elgin movement watch. Finder please return to William Kimes, at Ferguson's Hardware Store. 251 t2*

FOR RENT—Two or three furnished rooms for rent. Apply at Mrs. Roy Knapp's, 515 West Seventh St. 251 t2

FOR RENT—One-half of double house at 315 East Fifth St. Six rooms. Gas for cooking. City water. \$9 per month. George C. Loveland. 251 t4

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For they represent all that is good, all that is new in Correct Corset Style.

Wear a Madame Grace Corset and you are assured a trim and smart appearance in the street or party gown.

Made for all figure types and at prices ranging from \$1 to \$8.50

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Model 585---One of the Best Corset-Values Ever Offered at Its Price

OUR very complete line of stylish ROYAL WORCESTER Corsets includes the stunning new \$2 Model 585.

Illustrated below—and advertised in the "Ladies' Home Journal" and McCall's Quarterly" for Fall. A very unusual corset value at a reasonable price.

In dainty pink or white Broche—with low bust, long skirt, ample boning, and gracefully tapered sides—Model 585 faithfully reflects that slim youthful silhouette which the latest French fashion decrees.

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Extra Fancy Peaches
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Wednesday and Thursday
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Gives a brilliant glossy shine that does not rub off or come out. It is applied to the iron—that lasts four times as long as any other.
Black Silk Stove Polish
Is in a class by itself. It's more carefully made and made from better materials.
Try it on your parlor stove, your range or your gas range. If you don't find it the best polish ever used, your money will be refunded.
There's "A Shine in Every Drop"

Get a Can TODAY

City In Brief

Samuel Lehman and a group of other Mount Morris college young men were down Saturday to attend the football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Morris were Saturday traders.

Martin Lenox, who has been convalescing at the home of his mother, Mrs. George Lenox, from an infected hand, returned to his home in Palmyra Sunday.

If you need engraved calling cards you will find them at the B. P. Shaw Printing Company.

Philip Flamm, of Fairview, Tex., who has been here visiting relatives the past week or two left Sunday evening for Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moyer and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson and daughter, Miss Eunice, drove to Sterling Sunday and visited at the home of Mrs. Herman Sturtz.

Everett Dutcher, Bert Davis, and Rolfe Benjamin were among the National Army boys home from Camp Grant on Sunday.

Please look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph. It will tell you the exact date to which you are paid. Subscriptions must be paid one year in advance.

John Lester spent Sunday with his family in Rochelle.

Mrs. Louis Bryan and son visited with relatives in Preston, Ia., this week-end.

Miss Alice McCoy and Bert Buhler spent Sunday with friends in Amboy.

Messrs. Ellis and Torgesen, who have been engaged on the state soil survey in the vicinity of Amboy, moved their outfit to Dixon and will work in the region surrounding for the remainder of the season.

If you have any news for publication, social or otherwise, call the Evening Telegraph, No. 5.

All goods sold by Wolf Chemical Co. are guaranteed to give satisfaction. Sold by Prescott & Schildberg.

Amboy News: Oscar Spangler had the pleasure recently of visiting his old friend Chas. Randall, one of the engineers on the Illinois Central away back in the fifties. Mr. Spangler used to fire for him. Many of the older residents of Amboy will remember Mr. Randall. He is now upwards of eighty-seven years of age and lives with his son in North Dixon.

W. J. Cahill was in Chicago Monday on business.

Mrs. J. R. Gerhart of north of Grand Detour was in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wade of Polo traded in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith were here from Polo Saturday.

V. R. McCreery was in Sterling and Lyndon Monday on business. Mrs. Sophia Wuehl, of Nachusa, was in Dixon Monday.

The hair's best friend is Parisian Sage. Get a bottle from Rowland Bros. and see how quickly it will cure dandruff and itching scalp and stop the hair from falling out.

Deputy Sheriff Schoenholz went to Mendota this morning to transact business.

Superintendent L. W. Miller was a business visitor in Franklin Grove this morning.

Harvey Hatch, a former Dixon boy, is home from Michigan, where he went thirty-three years ago for a short visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Ross Carney of Dayton, Iowa, were in Dixon Saturday night and Sunday, on their way to Chicago in their automobile.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Bore and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bennett, of Chicago, are guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Morrison H. Vail, of Chula Vista Avenue. They attended last evening the banquet of Dr. Lehman's class of the Presbyterian Sunday School.

W. R. C. Attention: Members of the Woman's Relief Corps are asked to meet at G. A. R. hall tomorrow evening, at 6:30 o'clock, to join in the Liberty Loan parade.

Annual Recital Saturday: Invitations have been issued for the annual piano recital of A. H. Stoddard, which will be held Saturday afternoon, October 27th, at the Lutheran church. Mr. Stoddard will be assisted by Miss Ruth Hazel Walters, of Chicago, soprano. The recital will partake of the military in nature and the ushers will be—Jno. Honens and Kreider Woods, of Sterling; George Kerscher, of Paw Paw; Robert Powell, Carl Fallstrom, and Deming Hintz, of Dixon, all pupils of Mr. Stoddard.

St. Ann's Guild: The meeting of St. Ann's Guild will be held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Chandler, instead of Friday, as previously announced.

MOOSE ATTENTION: Many features of special interest will be brought before at the meeting of the Moose on Wednesday night. All Moose are requested to attend if possible.

Entertain Lady Foresters: Mrs. William Doyle and Mrs. John Root will entertain the Lady Foresters at the home of the former on Thursday afternoon. All members are cordially invited.

Mooseheart Legion: The Women of Mooseheart Legion will meet in regular session this evening at Moose hall.

Thursday Reading Circle: The Thursday Reading Circle members will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Henry Floto Thursday afternoon. The session opens at 2:30. Mrs. Corbin will have charge of the program.

Hamilton Whist Club: Mrs. George Steel entertained the Hamilton Whist club this afternoon.

To Entertain Performers: The Loyal Order of Moose will entertain the participants in the Gerber Honey Boy Minstrels at Moose hall Thursday evening. Dancing will be enjoyed until twelve o'clock and refreshments will be served.

At Tea: Miss Martha Smith, of E. Boyd St., entertained at tea Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Forsyth and daughter and their house guests, Mrs. Willard, of Galveston, Tex., and Miss Mudge, of Rockford.

Visited in Michigan: Mrs. Anna Ackland returned Sunday evening from a three weeks' visit to Kalamazoo, Mich., with her sister, Mrs. Charles Fish.

Was Week-end Guest: Miss Rosa Mudge returned yesterday to her home in Rockford after spending the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Forsyth.

Mrs. Beavers, daughters and son have taken up their residence in the Rosbrook house, recently vacated by the Ackerman family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughn, and Mrs. Bernice Earl went to Rockford Sunday, visiting boys at the camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Stainbrook have returned from Compton where they visited Mr. Stainbrook's brother and sister.

Ask for club rates—the Dixon Evening Telegraph and the Chicago Tribune.

DIXON SUBSCRIBERS TO LIBERTY LOAN

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of the Dixon Township people who have subscribed. More names will appear daily.

Carl E. Johnson
H. H. Ringler
L. S. Graybill
Reuben Yoder
Celmo Verhamme
Lee Sarver
Jesse G. Risley
John Vaughn
Milton Vaughn
Walter W. Brown
M. Eberly
Frank Lowery
George N. Mathias
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Henry L. Welch
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Milton Pyter
Carl Hasselberg
Pete Swanson
Lloyd A. Duffy
A. W. Lord
Herbert Kishbaugh
Mrs. J. B. Kidd
Daniel Drew
Robert R. Ryan
Harvey W. Norton
Harold L. Davis
Charles A. Boers
Mrs. William Todd
Harold Glessner
Benjamin F. Shaw
Edward D. Rossiter
Michael Hanrahan
Margaret Hanrahan
S. S. Dodge
Isador Eichler
Rev. F. D. Altman
Anna C. Meade
H. A. Roe
W. T. King
Cora Petersberger
M. R. Forsyth
C. H. Keyes
J. A. Forrest
John C. Bush
Dorothy Arrington
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C. A. Blake
A. P. Arrington
Laura G. Murphy
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Grand DeFour Plow Co.
Elmer E. Uhl
John Lauren
Thor Lauren
Boynton Richards Co.
C. B. Morrison

BRITISH BOATS LOST VICTIMS OF U-BOATS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) London, Oct. 23.—The British merchant cruiser Orama has been torpedoed and sunk, it is announced officially. A British destroyer has been sunk in a collision.

PROMISE AID IN WHEAT SHORTAGE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) New York, Oct. 23.—Material relief in the shortage of hard wheat is promised by the milling division of the federal food administration in a statement issued here today. Canadian wheat now moving down the lakes for export is to be made available for the United States.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Simons, Day & Co., Chicago.
C. D. Anderson, Mgr.
Corn:
Dec. 115 1/2 117 1/2 115 115 1/2
May 109 3/4 112 109 3/4 110 3/4
Dec. 58 1/2 58 3/4 58 3/4 58 3/4
May 60 60 3/4 59 3/4 60
Hogs, 16,000. Market 10c lower.
Top \$16.55.
Cattle, 14,000. Market steady.
\$17.00 top.
Sheep, 20,000. 10 to 15c lower.
\$15.00 top.
Hogs close with \$16.55 top.
Hogs, 26,000.
Cattle, 22,000.
Sheep, 25,000.

U. S. ARMY TO START FIGHTING THIS WINTER

Secretary Baker Says Pershing's Troops Are in Fine Condition.

REENFORCEMENTS IN SPRING

Yankees May Go Into Action at Any Moment on the Western Front—Cold Weather Will Not Stop Drive This Year.

Washington, Oct. 23.—American troops are ready to go into action on the western front and news may be expected at any moment now that they have received their baptism of fire.

The American regiments will participate in the fighting throughout the winter operations and will be heavily reinforced in the spring.

These are the assurances drawn from Secretary of War Baker's weekly review of war operations on all fronts, issued here, which discloses that the allies will not go into winter quarters but will continue their terrible onslaughts on the enemy without interruption.

This means that as soon as the American troops are deemed sufficiently trained they will be moved to the firing line regardless of the season. It is inferred that the American troops are ready for action.

At Home in War Zone. "Our men in France, after three months' intensive training," the review says, "are in splendid physical condition and efficient fighting trim. They have readily become acclimatized and now feel at home in the war zone. Our troops have met with the most warm-hearted and enthusiastic reception on the part of the armies and people of France. The health of our men-overseas is reported as excellent."

"The week just closed has been one of relative quiet on all fronts. "Bad weather already prevails along the western front; wintry conditions will soon set in and the terrain will become increasingly difficult for attacking troops."

Will Fight All Winter. "Nevertheless, the potency of allied material and men, the accumulation of the technical means of combat, and the preparations which have been going on for many months will make it possible for the British and French commanders to triumph over natural obstacles, and with few short intervals we may expect the offensive to press forward."

"It is not anticipated that the allies will go into winter quarters this year. The full importance of the battle in Flanders is beginning to be revealed. In order to appreciate the real significance of this engagement and the effect it has had on the morale of the German army and the German people, we must consider briefly the German attacks in the Riga sector, including the capture of Oesel, Dag, and other minor islands of the Finnish gulf."

Try to Bolster German Spirits. "While no attempt should be made to belittle the importance of the positions gained by the enemy, we cannot fail to record that it is apparent that the Germans undertook this expedition with a view to bolstering up the moral effect of the country, more particularly in order to be able to meet the impending internal difficulties which threaten to culminate in a renewed cabinet crisis in the near future."

"The German higher command has invariably picked out a weakened objective, in order to be able to record a success, which should be of political rather than military value."

Abe Martin--



"Th' saloon is about th' only institution that haint doubled its prices, but soldiers arn't allowed t' patronize saloons. Co'st too won't save you. They've got t' be flat."

Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATER. The famous Triangle picture will be shown at the Princess tonight, featuring William Desmond in "Blood Will Tell," a five-reel drama, and a Triangle comedy entitled "A Winning Loser."

On Thursday night, the first two chapters of "The Red Ace" will be shown again on account of many being unable to be present on last Thursday night. Marie Walecamp is the bright, particular star in this serial. Three other feature reels will be shown in connection with this picture.

DIXON HIGH NOTES.

Dixon vs. Sterling. After Dixon's good victory over Clinton, they are getting right down to work for the Sterling game this coming Saturday. It rained Monday evening, so practice was postponed. The team emerged from the game Saturday as it as they went in, only a few minor injuries received.

Is at Camp Lee. Arthur Buitta, son of Mr. H. L. Buitta, formerly of Dixon, now of Detroit, Mich., is now stationed at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.

In Canada. Donald Eaton is stationed with the Physicians' and Surgeons' Corps of the U. S. Army at Winnipeg, Canada.

Dance Was Success. The Frolickers' dance was a success last Friday evening. A number of out of town folks were present from Sterling and Polo.

Junior Class Meet. The Junior class held a meeting Monday after school to see whether they would make up their minds to give a dance or not. Well, they decided they would give one, date to be published later.

Music. Mrs. Phelps' music class met today and a very good period was the climax. The Glee Clubs are getting started and no doubt there will be some good music sprung on us some of these days.

Home From College. Miss Imogene Loftis, formerly of the Junior Class, who is now attending school at Susinwa College, spent a week-end visit at the home of her parents.

Oh, that will be all today, my friends.

ADVERTISING FIRM

ADOPTS NEW NAME

TAYLOR CRITCHFIELD-CLAGUE CO. BECOMES CRITCHFIELD & CO.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—The name of the Taylor-Critchfield-Clague Company, one of the country's largest advertising and merchandising concerns, has been amended to Critchfield & Co., by the unanimous vote of its stockholders.

This means no change whatever in the personnel or control of the organization, except that Mr. Stanley Clague, whose release was granted a few weeks ago in order that he might accept the management of the Audit Bureau of Circulations, is no longer connected with it.

Major E. E. Critchfield has been active in the company in an official

STOCK SALE

at Ben Baus' Feed Barn

DIXON, ILLINOIS, on

Saturday, Oct. 27,

Sale to Commence at One O'clock

50—HEAD OF YOUNG STOCK—50

Consisting of Calves and Yearlings coming two years old—Heifers and Steers.

10—Head of Cows--10

Fresh and Springers

60—HEAD OF HOG--60

One Brood Sow and 9 Pigs

F. M. LAWSON

Ira Rutt, Auctioneer
C. H. Gray, Clerk

capacity since the founding of the organization and has been its president for nearly six years. Under its present title the management of the organization, its standard of principles and the make-up of its directorate are the same.

The home office of Critchfield & Co. is in the Brooks Building, Chicago, and important branches are maintained in New York, Boston, Detroit and Minneapolis. The company's activities in the world of advertising and selling cover a period of twenty-five years, and in that time a business of large proportions, with many of the leading manufacturers and other institutions numbered among its clients, has been built up, in addition to its work covering every department of advertising throughout this country. The company has established a successful export department, and its sales and advertising operations extend to South American and European countries, to Japan, Australia and other parts of the world.

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Here is the floor covering that combines low price with real beauty and durability. As compared with printed linoleum, which it resembles, Congoleum is more durable and more attractive, yet the price is less. Besides, it is waterproof and is easily laid. The large variety of designs, including tile, matting, floral and conventional patterns, make it suitable for every room.

Congoleum Rug Borders cannot be told from polished quartered oak when laid next to a rug or carpet. They solve many a problem in the household.

KEYES AHRNS OGDEN CO.

CLOSING OUT SALE

The undersigned, having sold his farm, offers his livestock and complete equipment at auction at his residence on the Leafvale Dairy Farm, 4 1/2 miles southeast of Leaf River, 5 miles southwest of Byron, and 7 miles north of Oregon, on

Friday, October 26

COMMENCING AT 10 O'CLOCK. FREE LUNCH AT NOON.

15 HORSES

Bay mare, 1550 lbs. Sorrel mare, 1500 lbs. Grey Gelding, 1350 lbs. Grey Gelding, 1300 lbs. Grey mare, 1500 lbs. Bay mare, standard and registered. 4-year-old bay gelding. Two 3-year-old grey geldings. Bay Lakeland, coming 3 years. Brown Lakeland mare, coming 3 years. Brown Lakeland mare, 3 years. Bay gelding, 4 years. Spring draft mare colt. Lakeland filly. High class Shetland pony, kind and gentle.

45 Holstein Fresians

30 head Pure Bred and High Grade Cows, some fresh, balance spring-calf; 15 Spring Calves and yearlings.

62 Poland Chinas

21 FALL HOGS. 35 SUMMER PIGS. MACHINERY AND PRODUCE. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—Space forbids the itemizing of all this new and high class furniture. It embraces the entire contents of a large 8-room house.

Please remember that this livestock has been selected and maintained by a successful and experienced livestock man. The cows have just reached a period of usefulness that will benefit the buyer more than the seller. The horses are mostly the kind that you will find owned by a competent judge. The hogs are of the Big Type Poland Chinas. The machinery has only been used a short time. Come early—Sale begins at 10 a. m. Usual Terms.

ELI MCNAEMES, Auctioneer. A. R. MIZE, G. E. BUNN, Clerks. D. W. HOGAN, PROPRIETOR.

On Wednesday, Oct. 24th L. J. Walsh, Rockton, Ill., sells 100 acres well improved, level farm adjoins town, also all personal property.

IDLE FUNDS

Idle money is the source of considerable worry and annoyance. Consult us when in the market for safe investments. First Mortgage Real Estate Loans for sale at all times.

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A Letter From Washington

The Food Administrator Writes Us:

"The use of baking powder breads made of corn and other coarse flours instead of patent wheat flour is recommended by the Conservation Division of the Food Administration. The wheat needed for export is thus conserved, and at the same time healthful food for our own people is provided. The circulation of recipes providing for these uses would be of assistance in carrying out our plans."

The following recipes for Corn Bread and Rye Rolls save wheat flour and make attractive and wholesome food for every day when made with

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

CORN BREAD

1 1/2 cups corn meal
1 cup flour
4 level teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1 tablespoon sugar
1 teaspoon salt
2 cups milk

Mix thoroughly dry ingredients, add milk and melted shortening; beat well; pour into well greased pan and bake in hot oven about 25 minutes.

RYE ROLLS

2 cups rye flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
3 level teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1 cup milk
1/2 tablespoon shortening

Sift dry ingredients together, add milk and melted shortening. Knead on floured board; shape into rolls. Put into greased pans and allow to stand in warm place 20 to 25 minutes. Bake in moderate oven 25 to 30 minutes.

Our red, white and blue booklet "Best War Time Recipes" containing additional similar recipes sent free on request. Address Royal Baking Powder Company, Dept. H, 135 William Street, New York.

PALMYRA COURSE WAS BIG SUCCESS

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feeds and rations necessary for the highest and most profitable milk production. Mr. Rhode is an easy, pleasing speaker, thoroughly familiar with the subject, and his talks were of much interest and benefit to his audiences.

While the men were holding their meetings the ladies were also enjoying lectures and demonstrations in household science and food conservation. Miss Anne Green, of the Household Science Department University of Illinois, was the demonstrator. In her introductory address, "What Food Conservation Really Means", she explained to her audience what constitutes the plain elements of foods, and told how to supply these in sufficient quantities at a reasonable cost without unnecessary waste.

In her second lecture she demonstrated dishes for "meatless days", preparing several substitutes and giving the recipes. The third lecture on "Attractive Ways of Using Vegetables", was an interesting demonstration of preparing vegetables. Six dishes were prepared for the in-

terested audience of women. The entire course of lectures was greatly appreciated by her hearers.

Miss Fannie Brooks, also of the University of Illinois, gave three valuable addresses along the line of health, hygiene, and first aid work. In her first talk, given to the audience of women on Thursday afternoon, she gave a demonstration of first aid methods. At both the evening sessions she spoke to mixed audiences on the subjects "How to Keep Well" and "Proper Foods vs. Patent Medicines". Miss Brooks is a forceful speaker, and handles her subject with a skill which comes from a thorough knowledge of the subject. Her lectures, which were filled with witty, terse sayings, made her popular with her audiences.

All sessions were opened or interspersed with music and readings by Palmyra young people; all of whom showed themselves to be good entertainers.

On Friday forenoon a field trip to the Dixon Experiment field was the feature, conducted by Mr. L. S. Griffith and Mr. F. C. Bauer. On Saturday morning a dairy field trip was conducted by Mr. C. S. Rhode and visited with the dairy farms of E. H. Klostermann and W. F. Spencer. These trips were poorly attended, but were of much interest to the few who made the trips.

The Ladies' Aids of Prairieville

and Sugar Grove churches served cafeteria lunches each day, and their splendid cooking was quickly disposed of by the hungry people.

The attendance and interest in this first short course was fully up to expectations, looking forward to another splendid meeting next year, when it is hoped that the attendance and interest will be considerably increased.

ROCHELLE

Rochele, Oct. 22.—When the company units were first organized at Camp Grant temporary non-commissioned officers were appointed. These men were tried out and in cases where they were found worthy have been given permanent appointments.

Seven Ogle county boys were honored by permanent appointments as non-commissioned officers in Co. L, 342nd Regiment of Infantry, of the 86th Division, Saturday. Five of the young men are from Rochele and with one exception, that of Howard Lindsey, who had military training at an eastern university and applied for enlistment at the cantonment before he was called to the colors, went to Camp Grant in the first increment, of five per cent of the county's quota of 12 men, September 5, chevrons to the following:

Robert Copenhaver, of Polo, to be a sergeant.
George A. Cross, of Polo, to be a sergeant.

Joseph B. Feltes, of Rochele, to be a corporal.
Harold P. Stevens, of Rochele, to be a corporal.
Michael T. Hayes, of Rochele, to be a corporal.
Frank E. Allaben, of Rochele, to be a corporal.
Howard Lindsey, of Rochele, to be a corporal.

Messrs. Copenhaver and Cross are college men and had military training at school. Joseph Feltes was given an honorable discharge from Co. K, 10th Infantry, I. N. G., of Rochele, as a corporal and Messrs. Stevens, Hayes, and Allaben as privates.

Harold Stevens was acting mess sergeant up until the time his warrant was issued and was relieved at his own request. The indoor work proved too confining and Mr. Stevens preferred to drill in the open as a corporal rather than rank as mess sergeant and have more responsibilities should his appointment as such be confirmed.

Co. L has a roster of 257 men and is officered by a captain and eight lieutenants. Mr. Stevens was assigned to squad 13 on the 13th day of the month and is drilling a squad of 29 men. Corporal Stevens bunked in Barracks 1008.

Twenty members of Co. L were given 35 hour furloughs over the week-end. This enabled several local boys to return home, among them Harold Stevens and Norbet Munda. Michael T. Hayes and Frank Allaben were home between trains on Saturday.

Lieut. W. R. Dusher, of the 333rd Field Artillery "heavy", was home from Camp Grant over the week-end. He had as his guest, Lieut. John Moschel, another young artillery officer. The young men were in dress uniform from white gloves to spurs. Mr. Dusher's battery has a full roster of 208 men.

The 331st Trench Mortar battery of the 161st brigade of field artillery, of which Edgar Fell, of Rochele, is second duty sergeant, is practicing mounted drill with two mules and two wooden horses. Hand grenades are fashioned from tin cans from the kitchens which are washed and filled with sand. There is only one of these companies to a division and they are taught to fire anything from a 3 to 8 inch field piece and to throw hand grenades.

Ralph H. Williams and Howard Lindsey have offered their services as instructors for illiterate selectives. They are teaching English in the great common schools of the cantonment.

Heat was turned on in Co. L's barracks Thursday and the boys are now very comfortable. The young men appreciate the heat and the hot water for their shower baths.

Walter J. Tigan has sent home his dress uniform which shows that he is wearing the three service stripes of a sergeant in the United States Marine Corps. His regiment is at present stationed at detachment headquarters at Quantico, W. Virginia.

Atty. Floyd J. Tilton, clerk of the

PATRIOTIC MEET IN MAYTOWN HALL

A Liberty Loan meeting will be held in St. Patrick's hall at Maytown on Thursday evening, October 25. Attorneys Henry Dixon and Harry Warner will be the speakers.

Local Board of exemptions for Ogle county, is in receipt of a telegram stating that the next increment of selectives will be called Oct. 27th and move to the cantonment at Camp Grant about Oct. 30th. The fourth increment will call to the colors, colored selectives and it is believed will summon four negroes from Ogle county.

Donne C. Benson, of Co. A, First Regiment, stationed at Camp Paul Jones, U. S. Naval Training station at Great Lakes, Illinois, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benson, residing north of town.

Alvin Dodge, cashier in the Burlington offices, has been transferred to the Camp Grant station.

Miss Dorothy Beebe was home from Rockford over the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Beebe.

Mrs. John G. Boyle, of DeKalb, spent Sunday in Rochele to visit her brother, Floyd M. Countryman, who has been receiving treatment at the Lincoln hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George McMann, Jr., have moved into apartments on Woolf Court. They have been residing on South Main street.

A candy sale was held in the Noble Music rooms, Saturday evening, to help the high school glee club buy a piano.

Attorney Clarence E. Gardner has purchased a new Liberty "Six" touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Craft motor ed to Rockford on Sunday and remained over night as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schontz.

Rev. A. T. Horn, for many years presiding elder and pastor of the Methodist church at DeKalb, occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church, Sunday morning. It was thirty years ago conference Sunday that the Rev. Mr. Horn came to Rochele as pastor of the Methodist church. He is now entering new work as head of the Wesley Foundation at the University of Illinois. While in this city he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer S. Swasey. Mrs. Swasey being a daughter of Rev. Horn.

Miss Isabelle Jacobson, of Chicago, spent Sunday with her parents in this city. On October 5th she and her friend, Miss Irene Anderson, were guests of two of the officers at the Military Ball given at Fort Sheridan.

Leon V. Heydacker has accepted a position as shipping clerk in the Caron Spinning Co. mills, starting to work on Monday. He has been employed as cashier at the Northwestern freight offices.

Ralph Lewis was home from Rockford over the week-end.

Charles Priest, an employee of Butler Bros., Chicago, spent Sunday with Rochele friends.

AN INDISPENSIBLE MUNITION OF WAR

(By Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, Famous Jewish Teacher).

I am a humble teacher whose authority and influence do not extend beyond the membership of my own congregation. That congregation furthermore is composed mostly of men in active business, some even of their numbers are bankers. They are certainly acquainted with the financial exigencies of our government and as patriots have been and are doing their duty. No urging was needed before this on my part. None is required now.

But I beg leave to say that we should support the government to the full extent of our resources and make the sacrifices, however great, which this patriotic obligation may demand of each and every one of us. Some will give their lives, others their personal service in hospitals and at home under the blessing of the Red Cross. But everybody should go to the limit of his fortune to place at the disposal of the government the financial contributions demanded. The patriot should not refrain from cutting down expenses for pleasure and comfort to apply whatever he will thus save out of his earnings or income to the purchasing of the Liberty bonds. The authorities under the constitution vested with the right of declaring war have rendered their decision. It is for us to do our bit.

A statesman of renown has said three things are needed for the conduct of war—money and money and money. I feel that our cause and government will never fail for lack of this indispensable munition of war.

OBITUARY

MRS. MYRA HENDERSON

Myra, the seventh child of John A. and Martha McKinney, was born in Warren, Warren Co., Pa., Nov. 29, 1858, and departed this life at Melugin's Grove, Ill., Oct. 19, 1917, after a brief illness of a few hours, being 58 years, 10 months and 20 days of age.

At the early age of 9 years she with her parents migrated to Illinois and settled on a farm in Viola township. Here she attended the country schools and grew to womanhood, when in 1875 she was united in bonds of holy matrimony to Owen O'Riley of Amboy. To this union was born one child, a daughter, Mrs. Nellie Adams, now residing in Grand Detour. They resided on a farm north of Compton until Mr. O'Riley's death in 1890.

She then moved to Amboy where in 1892 she was married to Eugene Rabbitt of that city. To this union were born two children; a son, Willis G., of Oregon, and a daughter, Mae E., who passed away at the age of three years.

In the fall of 1899 Mr. Rabbitt passed away and she moved to Melugin's Grove, making her residence with her mother, then Mrs. Martha Howes, until the lady's death.

In the fall of 1909 she was again married to William A. Henderson of Melugin's Grove. To this union were born two children; a daughter, Mrs. Trullie Cook, who still resides at home, and a son Floyd, who died in infancy.

She leaves to mourn her death her husband, one son, two daughters, a sister, Mrs. Ellen Sweet of Compton and a brother, Joseph L. McKinney of Montana.

NO JUICE THIS MORNING.
An accident to some of the machinery at the J. N. U. power plant left Dixon without electric current during the earlier hours of the morning, and early risers were forced to hunt for lamps, etc.



A Wray Sagless Spring Induces Restful Sleep

It conforms to the shape of the body with a gentle, yielding pressure that does away with the cramped feeling in the shoulder and arm, that keeps you from rolling unwillingly toward the center of the bed, that induces complete relaxation and a feeling of delightful restfulness.

It is noiseless.
It is sanitary—all metal—vulcanized proof.

It cannot tear bedclothes.
It is guaranteed for a quarter-century not to sag, bag or break.

30 Nights' Trial

in your own home—free. Let us send you one. If you can induce yourself to part with it after sleeping on it for 30 nights, we'll buy it back at full price.

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AMBOY NEWS LETTER

William Fisher, of Akron, Ohio, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fisher, is at Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., where he is in training for army ambulance service.

Mrs. Naomi Ambrose who was several months at the home of Mrs. L. Staup, has gone to Hagerstown, Md., where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. John McCoy has returned from Logansport, Ind., where she attended the funeral of her sister, who was accidentally killed, by a neighbor, who was shooting sparrows, the bullet going astray.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs expect to spend the winter in Polo, where Mr. Jacobs has charge of city contract work.

W. G. White is on a trip through Iowa and will visit his son George at Tracy, Minn.

The Amboy Men's Chorus will give a concert next Tuesday evening, Oct. 23, at the Opera House, admission 35 cents. The proceeds to be given to the Amboy public library. This is the first of a series of concerts to be given during the ensuing year by the Men's Chorus, as there will be no Lyceum Course held in Amboy during the winter, as usual. Tuesday evening's program is as follows:

Solo Numbers

The Beautiful Land of Nod—Mr. F. N. Vaughn.

Golden Dreams—Mr. L. W. Entorf.

I Hear You Calling Me—Mr. W. F. Entorf.

Quartet and Chorus Numbers

Dear College Chum.

Just a Song at Twilight.

Medley.

A Vesper Song.

Winter Song.

Over the Hills at Break of Day.

A Perfect Day.

T. Rosary.

Rosebud Fair.

When You and I Were Young.

Maggie.

For Your Country and My Country.

Joan of Arc.

Huckleberry Finn.

The stage will be set at home with Frank Vaughn as host and W. L. Leach as his valet, the former calls in his friends to spend the evening and the song numbers are introduced in the conversation.

Mrs. Mary Trainor is critically ill at the Amboy Hospital, where she is suffering from a paralytic stroke.

Mrs. D. T. Kahl of Elizabeth spent a few days at the home of Dr. W. L. Berryman. Mrs. Kahl is the wife of a former pastor of the Amboy Methodist church.

Henry Egan, Ben Lewis, Edwin Coates and W. L. Weiss motored to Chicago last Saturday to attend the base ball game.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

The undersigned will have a closing out sale at Oak Dale Farm, one and one-half miles south of Dixon, Ill., on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1917.

The following described property, 3 HEAD HORSES

Consisting of one black horse 7 years old, weight 1,500 pounds; one black horse 9 years old, weight 1,600 pounds; one black horse 15 years old, weight 1,500 pounds.

FAIRMACHINERY

Wide tire Studebaker wagon with triple box, low wheel wide tire wagon; high wheel wide tire wagon; steel wheel truck wagon; top buggy; cutter; Melrose convertible wagon box; 2 hay racks; 2 set dump planks; 16-inch Deere sulky plow; 12-inch Deere gang plow; 2 Grand Detour walking plows; 13-foot harrow; 16-foot front harrow; 10-foot iron roller; pulverizer; 2 Tower corn plows; 2 walking corn plows; combination corn plow, nearly new; 11-foot Kentucky grain drill; 10-foot Gorham seeder; 6-foot Deering binder; 6-foot Standard mower; Key Stone hay loader, nearly new; Dahn side delivery rake; Deering corn binder; elevator for Deering corn binder; Hooper line spreader; low 20th Century manure spreader; Clover Leaf manure spreader; 8-foot Deere disc; 2-horse disc; 2 Deering and Manseur corn planters, 1 nearly new; fertilizer attachment for Deere corn planters; corn grader; fanning mill; Ohio ensilage cutter, 14-inch; Ensilage and stock rake combined; lot of seed corn hangers; small barrel churn; platform scales; shoveling board; woven wire stretcher; corn chaffing machine; single barrel shot gun; small cream separator; 3 galvanized water tanks; iron; 2 galvanized iron hog houses; 5 sets heavy work harness; 3 sets good as new; single express harness; single buggy harness; saddle and bridle; seven 10-gallon milk cans; two 5-gallon milk cans.

A very large amount of useful articles too numerous to mention.

SALE TO COMMENCE AT 12:30 O'CLOCK P. M.

Terms of Sale—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given on good bankable notes with approved security drawing 5 per cent interest from date of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

D. M. Fairney, Auctioneer; Chas. R. Leake, Clerk.

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ATTENTION, COMRADES.

Post members will meet for parade at 7 p. m. Wednesday, promptly. Guard of Honor will meet at 6 p. m. Parties who borrowed the chairs from hall will please return them at once, for they are needed.

C. W. Johnson, Post Commander.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank those who so kindly assisted us in our sad bereavement in the death of our beloved sister, mother and wife.

William Henderson.

Mrs. Ellen Sweet and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook.

Willis G. Rabbitt.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER.

Rudolph Boyer to Charles D. Crabtree, acd. \$50, lot 12, block 14, West End addition, Dixon.



AN APPEAL TO REASON

Liberty Bonds and Your Credit

A prominent Wall Street authority, in discussing the new Liberty Loan, has this to say:

"It would seem that the Liberty Loan Committee could do good work educating the public to the fact that the bonds are to be bought with credit, and not with actual money. For instance, customers of brokerage houses are being informed that they can purchase a liberal amount of the bonds and leave them as margin, the same as so much money. The bonds will not curtail anybody's trading capacity. Investment houses should make it clear to their clients who send securities from strong boxes that they need not be sold, but merely deposited as collateral against such purchases, if the owners can pay gradually out of income."

Liberty Bonds and Your Securities

In other words, there are three channels whereby you can increase your subscription to the Liberty Loan: First, by outright cash purchase. Second, by the payment of 2 per cent with subscription, 18 per cent November 15, 1917; 40 per cent December 15, 1917, and 40 per cent January 15, 1918. Third, by depositing such bonds and stocks as you do not care to sacrifice at the prevailing prices. Stocks or bonds so deposited will have the additional earning power of the 4 per cent paid by the Liberty Loan.

Three Ways to Do Your Share

Under the first provision you can use such surplus funds as you may have for your subscription to the Liberty Loan. Your Liberty Bonds can then be used as collateral for the purpose of taking advantage of the prevailing low prices of securities. The Liberty Loan will be credited to your account the same as cash. The second provision explains itself. Advantage can be taken of the third provision by depositing such stocks or bonds as you may have of recognized value, together with your subscription to any amount of Liberty Bonds you may care to take, up to the full market value of such stocks and bonds deposited.

ONE OF THE LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEE.

Fall Planting of Shrubs

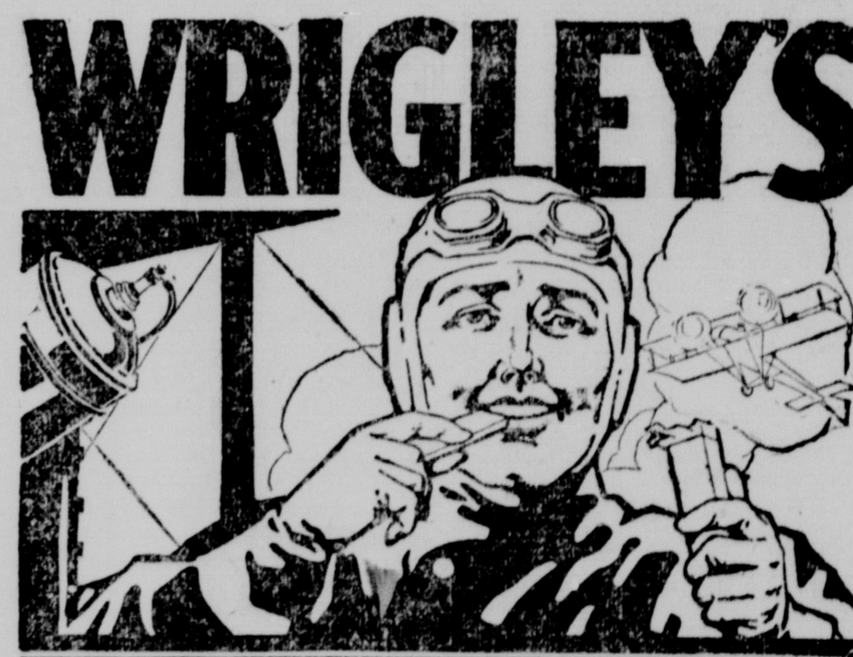
WE CAN DO YOUR FALL PLANTING NOW

The next two weeks the best time of the year for planting Hedges, Shrubs and all Landscape Work, Peony Roots and Hardy white Lilies (Tulips and Hyacinths here soon)—Estimates furnished on all work free. We can do your work and do it right.

The Dixon Floral Co.

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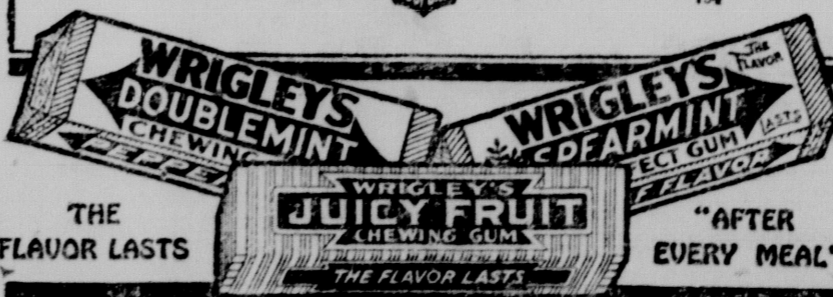
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Airmen in the great war are using WRIGLEYS regularly.

It steadies stomach and nerves. It is pleasantly lasting in taste. Teeth set firmly in WRIGLEYS make sure of achievement.

Our land and water forces are strong for it. And the home-guard finds refreshment and benefit in this economical, long-lasting aid to teeth, breath, appetite, digestion.



THE FLAVOR LASTS

"AFTER EVERY MEAL"

Untie His Hands!



Every Man in the Army and Navy

Needs the Protection Your Money Can Buy

Without your help the work of our soldiers and sailors cannot be accomplished. Your Nation's hands are tied. Only you can loosen the cords and bring about a quick and victorious end to the war. Do you wish to help?

Do you wish to back the fighters—in effect to wield the bayonet and man the ships of war? Do you wish to clothe and feed the boys in blue and khaki—to furnish their cots, their hospital beds; the fortifications which will defend them?

Buy

United States Government Liberty 4% Bonds

Nor should you delay. The country needs your money now. Remember that four per cent interest is paid on your Government's promise-to-pay—the same kind of promise that is back of all the money you have in the bank or the safe deposit vault.

This simply means that lending your money to Uncle Sam unties his hands—and the hands of every worker in this greatest crisis of all ages. You have always known of the safety of the United States Government Bonds, but you have not had the opportunity to buy them to yield four per cent interest. Here is your chance to help your country and at the same time help yourself.

What Liberty Bonds Are

They are the Government's promise to pay the face value of the Liberty Bonds.

They bear 4% interest payable in United States gold coin November fifteenth and May fifteenth each year for the life of the Bonds.

They can be purchased for as little as \$50, \$100, \$500 and up.

Information will be given and subscriptions taken at any bank, trust company, department store, bond house or by the Liberty Bond Committee.

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Three Men Who Are Serving Their Country

You know what these two young men in uniform are doing. They are offering their lives to preserve this land of ours as the "home of the free." The man in the center is serving his country in business and by buying Liberty Bonds to the limit of his resources.

You men and women are not asked to offer your lives. All you're asked to do is to lend your money, and the government pays you for it, four per cent. You have an opportunity to make a good, sure, remunerative investment and its *your chance to serve*.

Buy all the Liberty Bonds you possibly can. It's

a small thing in comparison with what the men in uniform are doing. They may lose their lives. Nobody can give them their lives back again. The government can't pay them for their lives. Notwithstanding this these heroes bought over \$25,000,000 of these bonds in one week.

The best way for you to serve is to help oversubscribe the Liberty Bonds by at least two billions.

Let's all get together and make this America's second big victory.

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BIG PROBLEM IN FINANCE

Story of Metal's Rise in Value in War Times Reads Like Romance—Russian Ruble and Indian Rupee Are Worth More as Bullion Than as Money.

Silver has advanced in price by seven-leagued strides for a considerable time. Everything in the present market for precious metals points to the probability that the rise will continue. The story of silver since the war began is one of the romances of the great struggles. So recently as 1909 the commercial ratio of gold to silver was stated at 39.74. For 1904 it was given as 37.49; silver has therefore slightly more than doubled in value, as compared to the nominal quotations of gold since the first of the war.

This, however, is not really so astonishing as it seems at first glance. Despite its use as subsidiary money all over the world, silver is still merely a commodity, and its increase is only a little less than that of other commodities. The Economist's index figure at the end of July, 1914, was 116.6; at the end of August, 1917, it was 257.1.

Silver has gone up in value as compared to gold, but not as compared to commodities. It has actually fallen a trifle in comparison with the average of commodities. Measured in gold the price of silver is higher today than it has been for 50 years.

One of the problems of the financial world is this of silver. Everybody knows that whenever the bullion value of a coin gets above its monetary value there is a tendency to withdraw the coin from circulation, melt it down and sell it as bullion. In various countries silver coins are right now worth more as bullion than as money.

Ruble Worth More as Bullion.

For example, the Russian ruble was worth before the war 51 cents as money, but its bullion value was much less. When the price of silver bullion got to 50 pence, or \$1, per ounce, the silver in the Russian ruble was worth 2s. 7½d., or 63 cents. If one could get hold of a few tons of rubles at their nominal price, melt them down and offer them for sale in the London silver market it would be a fine speculation. The effect is that the ruble disappears from ordinary circulation. The Russian paper ruble was quoted at the same time as worth only 6½, or 13 cents. Russia is thus on a paper basis, with a sadly depreciated stock of paper money.

Before the war gold coins circulated as freely in England from hand to hand and pocket to pocket as they used to do in the American mountain regions and Pacific West. Today if one should have a gold sovereign offered to him out of the shopkeeper's cash register it would constitute an incident almost important enough to divide attention with the situation in Sweden.

The amount of new silver coinage in England is very large, while in France it is so great that silver coins of pre-war years are rather exceptional as compared with those of the last three years.

The demand for silver at the mints promptly started the price upward. Before the United States and Canada came into the war both were still exporting silver, but now China is reaching out for all the white metal she can get, while the United States is moved to conserve its silver supplies for exactly the same reason that the European allies are adopting that course.

India has a genius for disturbing the money market. A few years ago financial authorities were worried because India was constantly pulling in gold from all over the world and burying it. The wisecracks of finance agitated themselves vastly about what became of the gold that got to India. The country's appetite for the metal seemed insatiable.

Rupee Exceeds Its Face Value.

Recently the advancing price of silver has increased the difficulty of the situation in India. The silver rupee is now considerably more valuable as bullion than as money. So there is the temptation to hoard the coins or to melt them down and sell the bullion back to the mints. The government is under the necessity of maintaining a steady supply of money, and this situation causes difficulties that do not need to be described.

The government of India has taken steps to prohibit all imports of silver into the country except on government account, the government taking pains to discourage hoarding and melting by every possible means. The Indian stock of silver has within the last year fallen to a point described as dangerously low, and it is proposed to supplement it by increasing the issues of paper money.

Pollus Want Gum.

Chewing gum is not usually thought of as useful to soldiers, but the head nurse of a little hospital in Brittany, where are 34 sick—not wounded—French soldiers, recently sent out a call for gum.

"It helps the men to keep from smoking," she explained. "And the doctor says they mustn't smoke."

Violets in All Lands.
Violets are natives to nearly all lands and thrive very generally everywhere, the greater number in the shade, but some in the sun.

TO SUPPLY ARMS WITHOUT DELAY

War Department Says Supplies Will Be Forthcoming.

BIG PLANTS ARE KEPT BUSY

May Be Some Time Before Adequate Supply of Heavy Field Ordnance Can Be Provided, But Other Equipment Will Be Ready When They Are Needed.

Announcement is made by the War Department that there will be no serious delay in supplying any element of the army with ordnance equipment, either small arms or field artillery of the small and medium caliber. It was added, however, that it may be some time before an adequate supply of heavy field ordnance can be provided, but as the army experts have not as yet determined just how much artillery of this type should be supplied, no definite estimate as to the delay is available.

As to small arms, the existing supply of Springfield rifles is being conserved for the use of Pershing's regulars, and the arsenal producing capacity has been expanded so that a very large proportion of the troops in France, if not all, will go into battle armed with this weapon, admittedly the best military rifle in the world.

Big Plants Are Busy.

For the equipment of National Guard and National Army divisions the entire plants of several munitions firms, notably the Eddystone plant of the Baldwin Locomotive company, are being devoted to the manufacture of the British Enfield rifle of most recent pattern, rechambered for the standard Springfield ammunition. With this change the rifle is a more powerful and more accurate weapon than as it is used in the British army. Three plants engaged in the manufacture of the American Enfield are actually producing the rifles now at the rate of several thousand per day. There may be some delay in getting to the National Army divisions a full supply of rifles for training purposes, but not sufficient to be of any importance, as the first several months of the training of the majority of the men will not require the continual use of arms. Such rifles as are available can be passed around from company to company, and every unit will be fully supplied not only with its weapons, but with ample reserves months before there is any possibility of these forces being sent abroad.

The artillery units of the National Army will be given a small number of guns of the three-inch calibre as soon as they are sufficiently organized to begin handling the weapons. To supply this training equipment regular and National Guard artillery units sent abroad go forward without their guns and are equipped on the other side with French 75s, British trench mortars and practice types of heavier calibre. It has not been decided as yet whether the divisional artillery is to be armed with four-inch or six-inch howitzers in addition to the 75 batteries. When that decision is reached, however, an ample supply of these weapons for the equipment of divisions in training at home can be turned out quickly by the arsenals and factories, which are making rapid progress with both calibres.

For Machine Gun Battalions.

Equipment of the machine gun battalions of the National Army will be with the Vickers-Maxim heavy water-cooled gun. Lewis, Browning and other types of light guns are designed for use in the machine gun sections of infantry companies and not for use by the machine gun battalions or companies of regiments, brigades or divisions. The strictly machine gun organization, comprising fourteen machine gun companies to each infantry division, are purely defensive units and for the establishment of semi-fortified strong points of defense along the divisional front. The Lewis and other light machine guns incorporated in the regular infantry equipment are for offensive purposes and each regiment will have 48 of these guns for that purpose.

PUT PRISON ON WAR BASIS

Inmates Drill, Buy Liberty Bonds and Help Red Cross.

As far as conditions permit, the state penitentiary at Waupun, Wis., has been placed on a military basis by Warden Henry Towne. The prisoners on their one half-day of recreation weekly form in squads and march in military order to the recreation park, where they stand at attention with heads uncovered as the band plays the "Star-Spangled Banner." Sports are engaged in at the park and various forms of military drill held. One wheelless day and one wheelless day also prevail weekly at the prison.

The inmates of the penitentiary made a big subscription to the Liberty loan. They also gave a large fund for Red Cross purposes.

Doing Her Bit.

Although she is sixty-five years of age, Mrs. Harry Taylor of Ringnor, S. Dak., is "doing her bit" by working on the public highways, sweeping and tarring them. She is carried to and from her work by her seventy-year-old husband on a tandem bicycle.

Some Power There.

"The sermon," says a good brother who heard it "raised the roof, and the singing shook the shingles to the skies!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Man Tries to Improve Things.

Nature never intended that man should take three days to recover from one day off. That is his own idea.—Toledo Blade.

"Y" HUTS PUTTING BLUES TO ROUT

Relieve Monotony for American Troops in France.

YEARN FOR HOME TOWNS

Many Soldiers Send Money Home After Surfeit of Chocolate, Pop and Jam—Y. M. C. A. Keeps Pace With Army and Furnishes Entertainment for Which Men Crave.

After several days spent in the camps of the American expeditionary forces in France, watching the men during their hours of work and of relaxation, one thought was uppermost in my mind, says a writer in the New York Sun. It was—do the folks at home realize what a big undertaking it is to supply all the little and varied wants of the men that the military establishment cannot provide?

The waking life of the men consists of bayonet practice, grenade throwing, trench digging, ordinary drilling, sentry duty, mucking and trotting through the gas chamber, hiking and special work like street cleaning. Those are the duties.

Then for the spare time. Outside of sleep there are three excellent meals, strolling in the streets, shopping in the village stores, sitting in the village inns. The men are billeted in stables, sheds, barns, outhouses, and several companies are already living in the barracks. For the mess, they carry their plate, cup, knife, fork and spoon to the steaming outdoor cauldrons. I heard a youngster in the "Y" hut at — ("Y" is the accepted army name for Y. M. C. A.) say:

"This morning we had meat, French fried potatoes, warm biscuits, white bread, jam, coffee, milk in your coffee, sugar in your coffee."

When the men have finished with their day's duties they are fed up with regulations and want a letdown. And here is where the Y. M. C. A. finds its work.

"Y" Huts Keep Pace With Army.

The Y. M. C. A. huts are marching up with the army. As far as the furthest point of the soldiers the long wooden shelter nestles side by side with the field hospital and the barracks of the fighting men. When they go into the trenches of the first line the "Y" will be there in dugouts, with coffee and bars of chocolate. Along the 16 miles of soldiers ten huts and two temporary shelters are now operating.

Each evening I saw from 500 to 2,000 men around at some of the 12 resorts. The soldiers have a dollar a day in money to spend (\$35 a month) and a couple of hours a day in time. It is the job of the Y. M. C. A. to enable the boys to spend that time and money in and around the hut. The "Y" canteen has cigarettes, cigars, pipe, tobacco, chocolate, chewing gum and ginger ale to catch a quarter or two out of the daily dollar. The local secretary is showing the men who drop it how they can send some of that money home by money order. While I was standing behind the counter at — a soldier came in.

"I've got a dollar a day to spend; I must spend it," he said.

"I'm getting all the money I need," said another.

"That's enough," objected a third. "Instead of sending home I was figuring on having some come the other way."

For entertainment motion pictures, singing and piano music and snappy lectures are being put on nightly at the huts all along the line.

Troops Restless and Lonely.

The men are restless, lonely, fed on monotony, tired of regulations, sick of the sleepy villages where white dust lies thick on the hard road, lifting into white clouds from the wheels of camions, sick of the fly-specked inns, with wine spots and wet wine on the tables and heavy boots bumping tables and chairs. They come from new towns, full of booming business, population jumping a thousand every year, every citizen a town booster, live newspapers, a local baseball team, a vaudeville house, three or four good motion picture houses with the latest favorites; a clean hotel, three or four trains a day, with mail and newspapers, home life, social life, public entertainments, a job, decent women. Back home it takes a multitude of people to keep them happy. It takes nine numbers and 50 performers to float the local vaudeville, 15 or 20 men turning out the two local newspapers, two changes of films a week in each one of three motion picture houses, a local theater with a new play every week or two, good restaurants to drop in at, a local "frat" house or fraternity order or union room open at any time, 20 homes of friends. That is the equipment required at home to make a man happy and keep him sane and decent.

Need Men and Money.

At the front the entire job is being tackled by 30 "Y" secretaries. These secretaries are business men, college professors, ministers, former secretaries in the United States. Three of them have been teaching in Syria. One of them is professor of psychology at Sioux City, Ia. Henry B. Barnes of Cleveland, O., is a wholesale dry goods man. All his life he has been selling goods to men on the road. He understands how to win confidence. Within a week of taking charge of a

hut at — 200 soldiers had of their own free will given him their names and home addresses.

Men and women are going to be needed to carry on this work of giving the soldiers a good time in their spare hours. The men needed are those with a long experience in dealing with other men; men who can play ragtime and lead the singing; men who can spin yarns of travel, adventure, personal experience, who will win and hold friendship. Harry Lauder and Gypsy Smith went "big" with the British soldiers. The American army will need 500 such entertainers, exhorters, club leaders, organizers.

The hut work has the hearty approval of officers all the way from — to —. More than 2,000 francs were dropped in the first two days after pay day in a single inn. A secretary, working in a tiny tent, took in \$3,000 in his first week, all of it to be sent home in money orders. That gives the two ways of handling the situation. This same secretary had one man come two evenings running with 245 francs to be sent home. As pay day never brought that much money, the chances are that it had been won in craps.

"WILD FIRE" IN TOBACCO

New Disease Worrying Virginia and Carolina Growers.

A new tobacco disease has appeared in certain sections of Virginia and North Carolina, according to Dr. R. A. Wolf of the North Carolina experiment station, and because of its destructiveness is the cause of much concern to the tobacco growers.

The disease was present in some places last year, but did not attract much attention because it was not widespread. The disease spreads very rapidly during rainy weather and has been appropriately given the name of "wild fire."

"Wild fire" has been found to be due to a germ or bacterium. Three days after healthy plants are inoculated with these germs they show yellow spots, marking the beginning of the disease. In some sections the idea is pretty generally held that fertilizer of one brand or another, or one proportion or another, were the cause of "wild fire." In others it is said to be due to weather conditions, to the prevalence of insects, etc.

Judging from a knowledge of other germ diseases, experts are confident that nothing can be done to check the disease in the field. Since it started in the plant beds, it may be possible to prevent it there. In order to determine this, studies are being made of the origin of the disease and its means of spread and it is planned to put a complete report in the hands of tobacco growers before next planting season.

HARD COAL TONNAGE HIGH

Railroads Will Ship More Than in Any Previous Year.

Reports just compiled for the railroads' warboard indicate that unless something unforeseen occurs the amount of anthracite coal transported by the railroads this year will exceed the tonnage of any previous year by a considerable amount.

According to the reports which show the operation of the nine anthracite railroads, the aggregate anthracite tonnage transported by these roads during the eight-months' period ending August 31 of this year was 7,638,382 tons more than in the same period last year, an increase of 17.18 per cent.

To produce this increase the anthracite roads carried a gross tonnage of 52,291,445 tons for the nine months, as against 44,623,963 tons for the first eight months of 1916.

The increase for the month of August alone this year over August, 1916, was 1,583,609 tons, or 28.35 per cent. The July increase was 24.38 per cent and the June increase 25.24 per cent.

These figures indicate that recent reports to the effect that there has been a severe curtailment in the production and distribution of anthracite coal are based upon rumor rather than facts.

"BE COOL IF ROBBERED"

Cleveland Police Chief Gives Advice to Citizen.

Crime may be cut down, but it can't be wiped out entirely. This is the position the Cleveland police department takes in asking co-operation of the public.

Police Inspector Smith asks Cleveland citizens to:

Don't become appalled if a robber accosts you and thrusts a revolver in your face, demanding your money.

Be cool.

Scrutinize him with a critical eye. Remember every mark of identification.

And then, after the unpleasant ordeal is ended, call up the police and describe the culprit.

RAT TAILS 10C EACH

School Boys at Ogden Reaping Rich Harvest.

Ogden City (Utah) schoolboys are reaping a harvest of spare change as a result of the health department's bounty of ten cents each on rats. Fearing that the rodents might overrun the neighborhood adjacent to the city dump at Monroe and Twentieth streets, the commissioners decided upon the ten-cent bounty to be paid for each rat "tail" brought in, as a precautionary measure against possible disease. One youthful "chaser" has already collected for 140 "tails."

Apply Put.

"Yes," said Mrs. Twickembury, "we have installed recumbent lights in every room in the house."—Christian Register.

MILLIONAIRE SERVING IN NATIONAL ARMY



George W. Perkins, Jr., son of the noted financier, is an ordinary "rookie" in the National army at Camp Upton, Yaphank, L. I.

RED CROSS CARES FOR HOMELESS IN FRANCE

Takes Up Task of Providing for 850,000 Old Men, Women and Children.

The Germans are sending back into France by thousands the women, the little children and the old men who have been held in the captured provinces, and on the American Red Cross has fallen the task of caring for them—850,000 homeless ones to date, and more coming every day.

Two trains of French rapatries containing 1,000 people, 60 per cent of whom are women and children, arrive daily at Evian homeless, sick, terrorized after three years of captivity. Capt. Maj. Gen. Grayson M. P. Murphy, Red Cross commissioner for France,

"The children are in very poor condition, many suffering from tuberculosis, skin and infectious diseases."

"The American Red Cross is opening a dispensary at Evian, and an ante-hospital of 20 beds for the sickest of the children. A convalescent hospital of 120 beds at Thonon near Evian is being taken over by the Red Cross and plans are being made for

a hospital of 250 beds at St. Joseph du Lac, near Evian."

For the care of these "rapatries" the Red Cross has formed a bureau of refuge and home relief, and Edward T. Devine, professor of social economics at Columbia university, has been appointed by Major Murphy to be chief of the bureau.

This bureau plans to supply these homeless people with portable houses, help them to complete damaged or partly built houses, supply them with a little furniture and implements, and help them support themselves.

One of the most urgent needs is a campaign for health conservation.

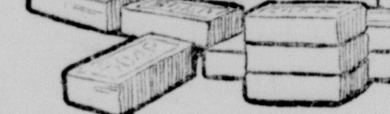
These of the conquered lands have been herded together in a most insanitary manner, they are poor and weak, and liable to disease. Many already have consumption.

Professor Devine's first task will be to relieve the immediate necessities, and, as fast as he can, get the families together and back on their own lands as the Germans are gradually driven away.

Daily Thought.

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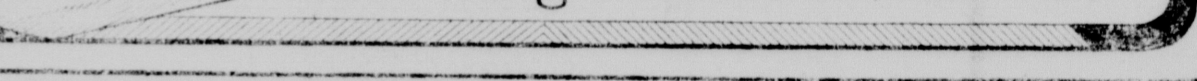
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Kingfisher, Okla.—"For two years I suffered with a severe female trouble, was nervous, and had backache and a pain in my side most of the time. I had dizzy spells and was often so faint I could not walk across the floor. The doctor said I would have to have an operation. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking ten bottles I am now well and strong, have no pain, backache or dizzy spells. Every one tells me how well I look and I tell them Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did it."—Miss NINA SOUTHWICK, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 33, Kingfisher, Okla.

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As I have decided to quit farming I will hold a Closing Out Sale at my place of residence on the Chicago Road, 5 miles east of Dixon, 3 miles northeast of Eldena and 3 miles south of Nachusa, on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1917 The following described property, 5 HEAD HORSES, All good work horses, consisting of black mare 9 years old, weight 1,500; one brown horse 10 years old, weight 1,400; one bay horse 12 years old, weight 1,400; one gray horse 12 years old, weight 1,500; one gray mare 15 years old, weight 1,200.

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MASTER IN CHANCERY SALE IN PARTITION. In the Circuit Court, September Term, A. D. 1917. Elmer McWilliams, et al. vs. Susie Ingle, et al. In Chancery, Partition, No. 3505. Public Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of said Circuit Court made and entered in said cause on the 15th day of October, A. D. 1917, the undersigned Master in Chancery of said Court, will, on Saturday, the 24th day of November, A. D. 1917, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, at the North door of the Court House in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder on the terms hereinafter specified, the following described premises, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section number Seventeen (17) in Township number Twenty (20), North, Range Number Eight (8), East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase price cash in hand the day of sale, and balance upon confirmation of sale by the Court and delivery of Deed to the purchaser or purchasers. Abstract of Title to same will be furnished. Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 16th day of October, A. D. 1917. MARK C. KELLER, Master in Chancery. C. C. HENINGER and HARRY EDWARDS, Solicitors for Claimants. 16 23 30 6

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Commencing at a point on the East (E) line of lot number four (4), in Block number fifteen (15), in the town, now city of Dixon, at a distance of forty (40) feet Southerly from the North East (NE) corner of said lot, and running thence Westerly parallel with the North (N) line of said lot, sixty-five (65) feet, thence Northerly parallel with the East (E) line of said lot forty (40) feet to the North (N) line of said lot, thence Easterly on said line to the East line of said lot, thence Southerly on the East (E) line of said lot to the place of beginning. Also—Lot number eight (8) in block thirteen (13) in the West End Addition to the City of Dixon, all of the aforesaid real estate being situated in the County of Lee and State of Illinois.

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West Bound. No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon 5 7:00 a.m. ex Sun 10:20 a.m. 99 7:10 a.m. Sun only 10:26 a.m. 13 10:45 a.m. 1:18 p.m. 19 12:15 p.m. dly ex Sun 3:39 p.m. 27 3:45 p.m. dly ex Sun 7:03 p.m. 11 6:05 p.m. 8:40 p.m. 25 6:10 p.m. 9:04 p.m. 17 9:40 p.m. 12:11 a.m. 7 10:00 p.m. 12:28 a.m. 3 11:20 p.m. 2:22 a.m. No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria 801 8:30 a.m. 12:05 p.m. xTrain 17. Stops only for passengers for Canyon, Wyo., and beyond, or for Des Moines sleeping passengers.

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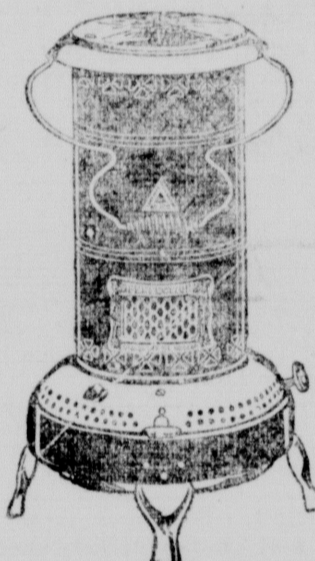
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